## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Docket Number: Confirmation No. NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST 13806/28 5508 FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) Application Number 10/581.778 March 29, 2007 R. LEE 1793 Inventor(s) SOLDER ALLOY, USE OF THE SOLDER ALLOY B. HOPPE et al. AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING. PARTICULARLY REPAIRING, WORKPIECES,

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## SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner made in the Final Office Action for the above-identified application dated December 18, 2009.

Applicants request a one-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed December 18, 2009, resetting the response date to April 18, 2010. The required extension fee of \$130.00 and Notice of Appeal fee of \$540.00 are being paid by credit card.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper, including any extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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